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ECONOMIC INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE

MEMORANDUM FOR: EIC Representatives of the IAC Agencies

SUBJECT: Review of EIC Subcommittees

1. The attached folder has been prepared by the EIC Secretariat to assist the members in their review of subcommittee activities. For each subcommittee the Secretariat has compiled the comments of the various agencies' representatives. To this has been added an abstract (usually verbatim) of those portions of the subcommittees' annual reports which evaluate its recent activities and indicate its prospective future program. In some cases a separate statement by the subcommittee chairman or executive secretary has also been abstracted.

2. Following the above background material, the Secretariat has presented its own estimation of the subcommittees' general effectiveness and potential, followed by the Secretariat's recommendations as to action which it believes the EIC might appropriately take. It should be emphasized that the remarks of the Secretariat have necessarily been frank and in instances somewhat critical - but that these comments are informal and intended solely for whatever value they may have in helping to orient the individual EIC members to current problem situations. For that reason it is requested that this entire folder be treated as an informal document to be held closely by the members themselves and their alternates.

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Executive Secretary
Economic Intelligence Committee

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